



Governor Mike Huckabee



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Mike Huckabee
Governor

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To the Citizens of Arkansas and the
Honorable Members of the Legislature:

I submit to you the June 30, 1999, *State of Arkansas Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR)*. This report is an important part of our effort to ensure timely and accurate financial reporting. It provides us a complete picture of the state's financial status and is an excellent means to meet continuing disclosure responsibilities to the national credit markets.

The state's three previous CAFRs were awarded the Government Finance Officers Association's Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting. This prestigious award represents an accomplishment of which I am quite proud. I am confident the Department of Finance and Administration will continue to participate in this prestigious program.

My sincere thanks to the Department of Finance and Administration for its commitment to this project and to the other state agencies that cooperated to complete it.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mike Huckabee", written in a cursive style.

Mike Huckabee